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FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1233
INFO USDOC
AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

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COMMERCE FOR OIM/FE - MOORE

E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: ECRP, MY
SUBJ: COMMERCIAL REPORTING - BEST PROSPECTS

REF: STATE A-5223 DATED 8/4/75

1. IN RECENT CONVERSATION WITH COMATT, ART LEONARD, SINGAPORE
RTC DIRECTOR, INDICATED THAT OIM WOULD LIKE TO HAVE SUMMARY
RESULTS OF BSET PROSPECTS STUDY SENT TELEGRAPHICALLY. STUDY HAS NOW
BEEN COMPLETED AND FULL AIRGRAM WILL BE SENT IN NEXT SCHEDULED
POUCH THURSDAY, SEP 11 (FYI, REF AIR RECEIVED AUG 18).

2. SUMMARY RESULTS AS FOLLOWS:

A. PRODUCT PRIORITY LISTING: 1) BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION
SUPPLIES AND EQUIP; 2) LABORATORY INSTRUMENTATION;
3) ENERGY SYSTEMS AND 4) PROCESS CONTROL INSTRUMENTATION.

B) STATISTICS (MILLIONS OF MALAYSIAN \$)

1) BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT

	1972	1973	1974
IMPORTS	145.8	206.1	339.6
FROM U.S.			

	14.0	24.4	54.2
FROM JAPAN	48.0	86.0	120.9

FROM U.K.	44.8	40.5	55.8
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FROM WEST GERMANY	3.7	3.2	21.0
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ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION; 1976 . \$373.6 MILLION, 1977 M\$410.0

MILLION, 1978 M\$451.0 MILLION

2) LAB INSTRUMENTATION

	1972	1973	1974
IMPORTS	14.9	43.9	73.5
FROM U.S.	2.2	26.9	30.7
FROM JAPAN	2.8	9.5	5.8
FROM U.K.	1.1	2.2	2.2

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ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION; 1976 M\$84.0 MILLION, 1977 M\$96.6

MILLION, 1978 M\$111.1 MILLION

3) ENERGY SYSTEMS

	1972	1973	1974
IMPORTS	15.7	20.3	29.9
FROM U.S.	2.5	2.6	6.0
FROM U.K.	5.1	4.0	7.0
FROM JAPAN	3.2	3.5	4.6
FROM AUSTRALIA	.9	.9	1.2

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ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION; 1976 M\$35.9 MILLION, 1977 M\$43.1

MILLION, 1978 M\$51.7 MILLION.

4) PROCESS CONTROL INSTRUMENTATION

	1972	1973	1974
IMPORTS	23.6	156.3	213.6
FROM U.S.	2.3	48.2	103.7
FROM SINGAPORE	-	31.2	53.0
FROM JAPAN	3.1	7.4	13.5

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ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION; 1976 M\$235.0 MILLION, 1977 M\$258.5

MILLION, 1978 M\$284.4 MILLION

E. SUPPORTING NARRATIVE ALONG ANTH EMBASSY'S RECOMMENDATIONS
OF PROGRAM ENHANCEMENT CONTAINED IN AIRGRAM.

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